

SENATOR TILLMAN DENOUNCES KNOX

South Carolina's Senator Charges Attorney-General with Being Criminal and Derelict.

CAUSED FAMINE

He Declares That the Death of All Persons Frozen Should Lie at His Door.

(Special By Scripps-McLae.)

Washington, Jan. 16.—Senator Tillman of South Carolina, during an arraignment of trusts and monopolies in the Senate, charged Attorney General Knox with being "criminal and derelict" and "the murderer of all those persons who have frozen to death" since the coal famine began. Referring further to the Attorney General, he charged that he "was the man who deserves the hate and opprobrium of the poor and oppressed of the land."

Senator Tillman's speech created a sensation in the Senate and Senators Spooner and Beveridge continually entered objections to his remarks. Senator Spooner announced after the South Carolina Senator had concluded that several Senators would reply to Mr. Tillman on Monday.

Flays the Railroads.

When the Vest resolution, directing the finance committee of the Senate to report a bill removing the duty on coal, was called up, Senator Tillman arose and continued his tirade against the coal monopoly. He declared the railroads are absolutely in the saddle on the coal question. They mine and market coal and fix the price, he charged, without regard to a solitary independent operator.

He said it was an infamy the way the press of the country was prostituted and lending itself to befuddle the minds of the people and deceive them into the idea that the railroads are willing and anxious to relieve the distress occasioned by the coal famine, but that somebody somewhere, called an independent operator, is responsible for the present condition of affairs.

No Credit to President.

The President deserves no credit, said he, except for his attempt to effect a settlement of the question, "but the actual fact is," he added, "that J. Pierpont Morgan gave orders to his co-conspirators or servants to attempt the arrangement between the monopoly and strikers."

In the course of his remarks, Mr. Tillman stated, after being closely questioned by Mr. Spooner, that it had been charged that the United States District Attorney of New York had received orders from the Attorney General not to submit his report of his investigation regarding trusts. To his mind, he said, a case had been made and the evidence and facts have been unanswerable. The law, he said, was too plain for any one to dispute it.

Denounces Morgan.

Mr. Beveridge took exception to a statement by Mr. Tillman "which he thought impugned the motive of Judge Woods in issuing his injunction in the Debs case. Replying, Mr. Tillman said Judge Woods went far beyond anything ever contemplated by any American judge."

"Why," he inquired, "are J. Pierpont Morgan or his co-conspirators any more immune from the proceedings of our courts of justice than Eugene Debs?"

Mr. Morgan, he said, had such a sanctity thrown around him on account of his vast wealth that to imprison him would cause the stars to go out of their course or the sun to stand still.

The Bridal Bouquet.

The bride's bouquet at a recent wedding was in seven sections, and was thrown, as she left, to the six bridesmaids and the maid of honor. Three of the sections held typical gifts—a gold dollar, a gold ring and a gold thimble—prophesying respectively wealth, matrimony and spinsterhood to the recipient.

Rats Entombed Alive.

Swarms of plague-infected rats which infest the stone wall along the seashore at Yokohama, have been entombed alive, the authorities having had every hole and crevice in the wall filled with cement and pebbles.

The Largest Holly Trees.

The largest holly-trees in the world grow in the Northern United States and in Canada, where the tree attains a height of 70 feet, and a girth of six to eight feet.

Appropriate.

A New York church will group all its various activities in one big skyscraper. There seems to be something appropriate in churches resorting to skyscrapers.—Philadelphia Ledger.

ACCUSES POLICE OF TAKING BRIBES

German Socialist Organ Exposes an Alleged Plot to Obtain Its Secrets.

Berlin, Jan. 16.—The local sensation of the day is the exposure in Vorwaerts, the socialist organ, which has been able to obtain possession of important government circulars and information of what purports to be an attempt on the part of the political police to bribe one of its employees to reveal the secrets of the office. The employee referred to, a man named Stofen, was offered \$10 monthly for his services. He accepted the first bribe and turned the money over to his paper which has warned the police agents that all the information possible on this and other subjects will be published.

CONFESSED MURDER AND GETS FREEDOM

Canadian Court Discharges Walter Herbert Who Admits His Complicity in Crime.

London, Ont., Jan. 16.—Walter Herbert, who by his own confession is a murderer, was today formally acquitted and discharged. Herbert confessed he and Gerald Sifton killed Joseph Sifton, Gerald's father, in 1900. Gerald was tried twice and acquitted at the second trial. After his acquittal there was nothing for the crown to do but discharge Herbert, who was in jail awaiting sentence.

SHOT IS FIRED BY A GERMAN CRUISER

Gunboat Vineta Sends Shell at the Shore Fortifications at Puerto Cabello.

Puerto Cabello, Jan. 16.—The German cruiser Vineta at sunset last night fired a shell at La Vigia, the fort crowning the hills behind this port. The shell, which was fired because men were believed to be in the fort, exploded, without causing damage.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS

Mrs. Langtry will have a racing stable on the American turf this year, and expects to win her share of honors.

Charles R. Lott of Chicago was elected president of the National association of Retail and Wholesale Grocers.

In a Washington house bill an appropriation of \$250,000 was embodied for the erection of a great lakes naval station near Chicago.

On a charge of conducting a bucket shop, the Weare Commission company of Chicago was indicted by the grand jury of Bureau county.

Mrs. Ruthven Pike testified in the Chicago divorce case that she was obliged to clean her husband's boots and sleep in a chair at his office.

President Roosevelt's suggestion of a commission to settle the difficulties between the range cattle and sheep men was adopted by the National Live Stock association.

J. P. Morgan testified in the Kentucky merger case before an interstate commerce commission in New York, and told of Gates' deal in Louisville and Nashville.

H. K. Hammond, 19 years old, a deserter from the navy, surrendered to the Hammond, Ind., police because his Iowa relatives declared that he had disgraced the family and should suffer the penalty.

Henry Thuman, former secretary of the Chicago molders' union, testified in Judge Brentano's court to the "slugging" methods adopted in the strike at the Stromberg-Carlson plant.

J. H. Tillman, lieutenant governor of South Carolina and nephew of the United States senator, shot and perhaps fatally wounded Narciso Gonzalez, editor of the Columbia State, over an old political feud.

Sir Phillip Burne Jones and Mrs. Patrick Campbell both now in Chicago deny that the latter posed as model for "The Vampire." She says she knows Sir Phillip well, but he denies that he has the honor of her acquaintance.

Recommends "Volcano Cellars."

Prof. T. A. Jagger, Jr., Harvard, who has been making investigations of the eruption of Mont Pelée, believes that people of volcanic countries can escape destruction by building cellars or chambers of masonry in which they can seek shelter when the eruptions occur.

The Liberty Cap.

The red liberty cap was really the headgear of the galley slave. The Swiss of the Chateaux regiment, sent to the galleys for their share in the Nancy riots, on their release returned to Paris with their caps and were hailed as victims of despotism.

Wheat Crops.

The agricultural book of the north-west territories shows that in four years the production of what has increased from 5,542,478 bushels to 12,808,417 bushels, and of oats from 3,040,307 bushels to 9,716,132 bushels.

So Does the Boy Baby.

The day that the boy baby puts on his first pants his mother begins to feel that there are two men in the house.—Chicago Globe.

CUBAN SOLDIERS TALK REVOLUTION

War Threatens the Republic from Mob Unless It Gives Soldiers Their Pay.

ARE IN EARNEST

Men Are Backed by Many Old Officers, and Mean Just What They Say.

(Special By Scripps-McLae.)

Havana, Jan. 16.—Former members of the Cuban army are beginning to threaten the Cuban government that if they are not paid by next March they will act. A printed manifesto most incendiary in tone has been addressed to the country and to the powers. Among other things it says:

The Manifesto

"The obligation of the government to pay the army is a sacred one. The liberating troops have waited patiently, but everything has a limit. The liberating army will not wait later than March for the completion of the work of the payment of the soldiers. We will not be further put off by the pretext that a revision of the army list necessitates the delay, nor will we accept any other delay."

Its Ultimatum

"The liberating army is disposed to call the attention of Europe pacifically but energetically that we do not care for interior disturbance if no longer time is asked to pay us than that if, on the contrary, the army will reunite and occupy every town from Point Maise to Cape San Antonio, peacefully, we repeat."

CHICAGOAN ASKS BALM FOR A WOUNDED HEART

Alleges That Elgin Woman Eloped With Another Man on Day Fixed for Their Wedding.

Elgin, Ill., Jan. 16.—George Gronberg, employed in a big department store in Chicago and a resident of this city, has instituted a \$5,000 breach-of-promise suit against his former sweetheart, Mrs. Della Wahl Swan, wife of Theo. Swan, Jr., whose father is reputed to be the wealthiest merchant in Elgin. Mr. Gronberg's attorney filed the papers at Geneva.

Four months ago Mrs. Swan was a hosiery saleswoman in the T. F. Swan department store, and Gronberg alleges that she was his betrothed. On the day of the proposed marriage Gronberg alleges the young woman left the scene of the wedding preparation as was married to Swan at Spring. A twenty-four hours afterward.

T. F. Swan, Sr., gave them a handsome home for a wedding present.

TELL STORIES OF FILIPINO CRUELTY

Witnesses in Glenn Court Martial at Manila Describe Barbarities of Samar Natives.

Manila, Jan. 16.—In the court martial of Maj. Edward F. Glenn, on charges of killing six prisoners, or war during the Samar campaign, the defense spent the entire day describing the treacheries and cruelties of the natives of Samar, which it held justified a merciless policy.

Five officers testified to horrible barbarities and tortures of which they had personal knowledge. The massacre at Balangiga was described and additional light was thrown upon it. The order of General Lukhan to poison and to set traps and pitfalls was read. Capt. Swan swore he informed General Jacob H. Smith that several thousand of the residents of his district had become friendly to the Americans, and that they must be allowed to return to their homes or starve. General Smith according to the witness, replied:

"Let them die. The sooner they die the sooner we will have peace."

Lieut. Streiber, who captured Gen. Lukhan, testified that he generally kept his guides tied. He considered that General Smith's policy resulted in the pacification of his district in two months.

Lieut. Brandie described numerous tortures inflicted by the insurgents. He said that a party of rebels captured two native guides and thrust burning sticks into their bodies until they died.

Horses Bring High Prices.

Thirty-eight Russian Orloff carriage horses, just imported, have been auctioned off in New York. One four-in-hand team sold for \$7,950. Many sales were made around \$1,500.

Worry Killed Mother.

New York, Dec. 9.—Mrs. A. Korb, mother of Marie Dressler, the actress, died suddenly of heart disease at her home in Bayside, L. I. Anxiety over the long illness of her daughter killed her.

STEAMER ST. LOUIS IS STILL MISSING

Even the American Line Company Is Now Apprehensive for Its Safety.

DEFECTIVE WORKS

The Owners of the Vessel Now Admit That the Machinery Was Old and Out of Repair.

(Special By Scripps-McLae.)

London, January 16.—Officials of the American today insist that there is nothing more serious the matter with the missing steamer St. Louis than a break down in the machinery, which was known to be out of repair and the boilers leaky.

New York Anxious

New York, January 16.—While there is as yet no news from the missing steamer, St. Louis, the agents here are confident that she will turn up all right. Notwithstanding their assurance to the public it is known that they are very anxious themselves.

Is Overdue

The steamer is five days overdue and no trace of it has been seen by vessels that have arrived in the past few days. The American line officials acknowledge that the machinery is at fault and that the boat would have been placed in dock here for a thorough going over on its arrival.

Large Cabin List

There is a large cabin list of prominent people on board the boat and much anxiety is felt by their friends who continually besiege the company's office.

CARDINAL PAROCCHI DIES OF HEART DISEASE

Roman Catholic Prelate Was Regarded as the Most Likely Successor to Pope Leo XIII.

Rome, Jan. 16.—Cardinal Lucido Mary Parocchi, subdean of the Sacred college and vice-chancellor of the Catholic church, died of heart disease. He was born in 1832, was of Italian nationality, and was created a cardinal in 1877.

The death of Cardinal Parocchi removes one of the prelates considered to be the most likely to succeed Pope Leo.

There was always considerable friction between the Pope and Cardinal Parocchi on this account, and it led to the unprecedented step of the Pontiff in removing the cardinal from the post of vicar of Rome because it was thought that he too openly posed as the future Pope.

Nevertheless, the Pope was deeply affected by Cardinal Parocchi's death. He knelt in prayer and exclaimed: "These frequent deaths have made me feel quite an old man."

Fortnightly Fair for Paris.

On the initiative of the toy-makers' organization a fortnightly fair on the model of those held at Leipzig and Nijni Novgorod will be held in the spring at Paris. All industries will be admitted. No retail trade will be done.

Trees in England.

Christmas trees were unknown in England until the reign of Queen Victoria. The first one was ornamented by Prince Albert for the amusement of the Princess Royal and the Prince of Wales, who were children of 3 and 4 years old at that time.

Dignity of German Courts.

At Alzen, in Hesse, the other day, a prominent tradesman was sentenced to twenty-four hours' imprisonment for the "grave irreverence" of reading a newspaper in court while a case was under trial.

Etiquette Causes Trouble.

It is said that the pope is unwilling to receive President Loubet of France if the president should previously visit King Victor Emmanuel, and the president has decided to avoid Rome and will meet the king elsewhere.

Record of German Scholar.

Otto Gildemeister, three times mayor of Bremen, made that city a seaport and had time besides to devote to study. He translated some of Shakespeare's dramas, all of Byron's works and Dante's "Divine Comedy," this last especially being an excellent specimen of workmanship.

Nelson's Old Flagship.

Nelson's old ship, the Victory, is still to be accessible to the British public, although she is shortly to be superseded as the admiral's flagship at Portsmouth.

Madame Patti's Tallman.

Madame Patti, it is said, preserves as a tallman the boots she wore at her debut over forty years ago.

MESSAGES WILL BE NEWS BULLETINS

Wireless Telegraph System Will Send Its Dispatches Only Forty Miles Seaward.

London, Jan. 16.—The announcement that arrangements had been made to publish daily papers on Atlantic steamers supplied with the wireless telegraph system, seems to have been founded on a plan, which goes into effect within a fortnight, to send news bulletins to certain steamers approaching the coast. These messages will be sent from a wireless station now nearly completed at Brow Head. The Marconi company will undertake only to send messages a distance of forty miles seaward, and for the present at least no daily papers will be published on board ships. News bulletins will simply be displayed in various parts of the steamers.

ASSERTS BRITISH LACK ENTERPRISE

Member of Parliament Says That Americans Are Far Ahead of His Countrymen.

London, Jan. 16.—Speaking at the opening of the automobile show here today, Sir Albert K. Rollit, M. P., who was chairman of the delegation from the London Chamber of Commerce to the recent celebration of the opening of the new building in New York reiterated the complaints against British backwardness compared with American enterprise in the use of labor saving machinery.

SAY THAT TROUBLE EXISTS IN HAWAII

Dole Is Reported To Be at Outs with Governor and Party Leaders.

Honolulu, Jan. 16.—It is reported that Attorney General E. P. Dole has resigned. One reason given is that pressure was brought to bear upon him by leaders of the republican party, and that he held views in opposition to those of the governor, which created unpleasantness. The attorney general is a cousin to Gov. Dole.

STATE NOTES

Five thousand persons attended the skating carnival at the Milwaukee exposition building.

Milwaukee's new home of the town club was opened by a formal reception and dancing party.

La Crosse capitalists will build a pearl button factory. The corporation will be capitalized at \$50,000.

Timothy Thomas of Oshkosh attempted suicide by asphyxiation with illuminating gas, but was rescued by friends.

The trial of August Steich, charged with putting poison in a liniment used by his wife, was begun in Milwaukee.

Mrs. Roderick Almsworth, wife of Assemblyman Almsworth of Hartland died as the result of injuries received in a runaway Wednesday.

Mrs. Anne Mulligan died at Waukegan at the age of one hundred years. She was born in Ireland and came to this country fifty years ago.

The Peshtigo Lumber company has started suit against William Ellis, Jr., for alleged illegal conveyance of timber lands held by Ellis in trust.

Suit may be brought by the Chippewa Lumber company against farmers who are alleged to have stolen their logs from the Chippewa river.

At the annual meeting of the Pilgrim Congregational church of Milwaukee it was announced that the debt under which the organization has been laboring has been raised.

George Blackburn, a farmer near Fond du Lac, was arrested on a peace warrant. He had threatened to take the life of Thomas King, it is alleged.

Two children living near Ashland, one 7 and the other 11 years of age, were instantly killed by a logging sled which passed over them, cutting their bodies in two.

The Wisconsin Tobacco Growers' association which was to have met in Madison on January 7, has changed the date to January 25. The reason for the postponement is that the tobacco men are not through stripping the new crop.

Himala's Swimming Brides.

Girls inhabiting the island of Himala, near Rhodes, are not allowed to marry until they have brought up a specified number of sponges, each taken from a certain depth. The people of the island earn their living by the sponge fishery.

Big Water-Wheels.

The biggest water-wheels in Britain are on the river Teith, six miles above Stirling. The Deanston cotton mills have four wheels 36 feet in diameter. The Isle of Man has the biggest wheel of all at the Laxey mine. It is 72 feet 6 inches in diameter.

Sues Barber for Damages.

A lawyer in Canton, Ohio, has brought suit against a local barber for \$200 damages, alleging that his hair was cut in a most inartistic manner in his shop, making him an object of ridicule among his brethren at the bar and his acquaintances generally. The lawyer fell asleep in the chair and the bad work was done while he slumbered.

RAILWAYS OWE STATE MILLIONS

Governor La Follette Delivered His Second Inaugural Address to Legislature Thursday.

AFTER LOBBYISTS

Also Takes His Old Stand on the Questions of Primary Election and Taxation.

(Special to The Gazette.)

Madison, Wis., Jan. 16.—Governor LaFollette yesterday afternoon read his message to the joint assembly of the legislature. He devoted the chief part of his message to the subject of railway taxation and control. The governor said, among other things:

"The report of the tax commission represents nearly four years of labor by the able members of that body without bias or prejudice. If the inauguration of this subject by the commission was in good faith, then in good faith those for whose guidance its work was planned are bound to give heed to its findings and recommendations."

Railway Taxation
"In determining that we should abandon the license fee system of railroad taxation in Wisconsin the commission will simply affirm the declaration made two years ago that the license fee system would be 'superseeded by a more scientific method' of railway taxation."

Shipping Interests
"Upon the necessity of the establishment of a commission to protect the shipping interests of Wisconsin," the governor says, "there would seem to be no need of argument. The rate in themselves make the demand stronger than any form of words can express it."

Primary Law
He renews his recommendation for the enactment of a primary election law, saying that "the question has been settled by the people of Wisconsin, who have determined that all candidates for state, legislative, congressional and county offices shall be nominated at a primary election upon the same day by direct vote under the Australian ballot."

Trusts
On the subject of trusts the governor says: "I desire to emphasize for your attention the importance of providing most specifically the form and manner for enforcement of such laws as you may enact for the prevention of illegal combinations within the state."

The Lobbyist
The governor strongly urges the enactment of a law against the paid lobbyist.

No "Peaceful Blockade."
Premier Balfour's declaration that there is no such thing as a peaceful blockade in Venezuela is merely another version of what Lord Palmerston said in 1846: "Blockade is a belligerent right, and unless you are at war with a state you have no right to prevent ships of other states from communicating with the ports of that state."

Arrest Anarchists.
Rome, Dec. 10.—Thirteen anarchists were arrested near Spezia, after a desperate struggle. The police surprised them at a meeting while they were in the act of taking an oath with pignards to assassinate King Victor Emmanuel. One of the anarchists and one of the police were severely wounded.

Truthful Comment.
A little boy fell asleep the other night just before dinner and dreamed a dream that spread over a whole week. When they woke him they told him that he had been asleep just five minutes. He pondered for a time, and then said dazedly: "It takes an awful long time to sleep five minutes."—Exchange.

Socialism in Europe.
Mulhausen, Alsace-Lorraine, has a Socialist town council, which has decided to pay two shillings a day to all the unemployed workmen in the town.

In Honor of De Wet.
One of the new engines for the Cape railway is to be christened De Wet.

Bribery in Kansas.
In making affidavits of his election expenses, a Marion county candidate reports that he paid his wife 50 cents for getting up and making the fire five times. "Things must be coming to a terrible pass in Kansas. We want to know if this is not bribery."—Exchange.

Many New Stars.
Within historical times there have been no fewer than twenty-six recorded appearances of new stars. One of the most brilliant was that which appeared in the constellation of Cassiopeia in 1572, a short time after the massacre of St. Bartholomew.

BIG FUND WAS EASILY RAISED

TEN HUNDRED AND FIFTY-TWO DOLLARS NUCLEUS.

CASH FOR MUNICIPAL LEAGUE

Enthusiastic Meeting Held in the City Hall—By-Laws Adopted—Many New Members.

Thursday was a great evening for the Municipal League. The members gathered with the expectation of raising a few more city officials over the coals. After consideration, they decided to leave all such matters in the hands of their executive committee. Having empowered that body to go ahead they looked about for a means of defraying the cost which the work will entail.

According to the provisions of the by-laws which were adopted last evening no dues or assessments shall be levied upon the members, who now have passed considerably beyond the two hundred mark in numbers, consequently voluntary subscription was fixed upon as the best means of raising the money, and it proved successful. When the body adjourned over one thousand dollars had been pledged to the work. In amounts varying from one to twenty-five dollars.

Splendid Results
President G. S. Parker, M. G. Jeffris and others reiterated the statement that it was a grand showing and one that the league had reason to be proud of. The results of the meeting were of a kind that count up more than words.

Before the meeting, which was held in the assembly hall of the municipal building was called to order, an opportunity was given for any to sign the constitution who might desire to do so. The constitution was given a reading for the benefit of any who were not familiar with its contents.

Order was then rapped for by Pres. Parker. Owing to the illness of Secretary Francis Grant the minutes of the previous meeting were not in form to present and were therefore dispensed with. George Kimball was appointed secretary pro tem.

Action of Committee
Mr. Kimball was called upon to read the communication which had been placed before the city council requesting detailed reports of the various expenditures which had been authorized by that body. Pres. Parker remarked that the result of the request, such as it is, has already been made public in the columns of the daily press.

A detailed statement of the work which had already been accomplished was then made by President Parker. He spoke warmly of the excellent spirit of enthusiasm which had been exhibited by all the members of the club who had been called upon to take a stand upon any of the subjects which the league has under consideration. Upon personal study of the question he had come to the conclusion that the city ordinances offer many loopholes to officials who have not been strict in their observance of the provisions. He proposed to the League that the office of street commissioner be made the subject of a general discussion.

In reply to a suggestion made by A. M. Valentine that the charter be amended to impose some penalty for failure to abide by its requirements, ex-Mayor F. S. Baines stated that no alteration in the charter could be made without action by the state legislature.

The Street Commissioner
After some general remarks in which it was evident that no one knew enough of the office to talk definitely about it, the president of the League, who has recently been making some investigations, reported a loose method of conducting the street commissioner's duties. It is often impossible as things now stand to know the accuracy of the bills which he approves.

Discussion again lagged until M. G. Jeffris suggested that it would be inadvisable to talk of some of these questions in so public a meeting as that of the League. He advocated authorizing the executive committee to go ahead, with the backing of the entire club and get to the bottom of the entanglement in the city's affairs. He had come to the conclusion from what has already been unearthed that there have been criminal transactions in connection with the municipal government. Financial aid would be essential to the executive committee and he advised the raising of a subscription fund. He embodied his remarks in a motion which was unanimously passed.

Many Subscriptions Made
Richard Valentine started the subscription ball rolling by offering to be one of ten men to give twenty-five dollars. W. S. Jeffris, A. M. Valentine, W. B. Conrad, Hayes Bros., S. B. Lewis, Parker, Pen Co., F. P. Lewis, Whitehead & Matheson and T. O. Howe brought the list up to the desired mark. After that all was easy sailing. An epidemic of giving broke out and when the reckoning came it was found that \$879 had been pledged in the following amounts:

Sixteen persons pledged twenty-five dollars apiece; two pledged twenty each; five, fifteen; thirteen, ten; forty-two, five; and twenty-one persons promised one dollar apiece.

After some more general discussion and some more pledging of money the meeting adjourned. Whenever the spirit of giving began to ooze away, M. G. Jeffris was called on to "say some more," and the offerings began to roll in. Before the meeting a subscription paper had been circulated which had secured \$142. This taken together with the total amount raised at the meeting brought the grand total up to \$1022. The pledges may be paid at anyone of the four banks in the city or at Smith's pharmacy. The suggestion that the money be collected at I. F. Connor's

saloon was rejected. At the five places further pledges will be taken. All checks should be made payable to Sec. Treas. Francis Grant.

By-Laws Adopted
The by-laws which were adopted at the meeting besides providing that there shall be no dues and that the officers shall receive no compensation enacted that no city officer or candidate for any city office can become or remain a member of the executive committee. The duties of the officers are those usually accorded to such positions. The annual meeting shall be held the second Monday in January.

The executive committee shall represent the League in all matters and may pursue any course of action which in their judgment shall promote the objects of the league. They shall authorize all disbursements of money.

STUDENTS TO TALK ON COAL QUESTION

Subject for the Joint Debate Between Appleton and Janesville High Schools is Chosen.

Government ownership of the anthracite coal fields will be the subject for debate at the annual contest between the debating teams of the Appleton and Janesville High schools. This debate will take place in this city during the month of March, the exact wording of the question being "Resolved, That the government should own and operate the anthracite coal fields within its boundaries, it being conceded that the coal fields can be constitutionally acquired by the United States."

The question was submitted by the Appleton school and was accepted by the Janesville school with the provision that the constitutionality of such proceeding should be conceded. It was considered that the legality of the question was rather too deep for High school students.

The Janesville school will argue on the affirmative side of the question. The speakers have not been selected yet but they will be members of the Rusk Lyceum and a series of debates will be held in the Lyceum for the purpose of determining upon the three speakers. Harry Doran will doubtless be the leader.

This will be the third joint debate in which the two schools have participated. Two years ago the first challenge was issued by the Appleton school and its debaters came to Janesville to meet defeat. Last year the debate was held at Appleton and the visitors were defeated, making one victory for each school. Much interest is being taken in the coming contest.

REV. THOMPSON WILL LECTURE

Prominent Social Democrat Speaker Will Address Audience at Foresters' Hall Thursday.

Upholders of the Social Democratic party in this city are making plans for a rousing public meeting on Thursday, January 22. The speaker who is to address the meeting which will be held in Foresters' hall on the Corn Exchange is the Rev. Carl D. Thompson of Denver. He will touch on general phases of socialism, and the doctrines of his party, paying especial heed to the topics of governmental and municipal ownership.

At the meeting of the Municipal League an invitation from the Janesville branch of the Social Democratic party to attend the lecture was read. With a view to avoid any seeming connection with any party, the communication was simply received with thanks, and filed.

Mr. Thompson is spoken of as a powerful speaker. That he is meeting with favor is attested to by the fact that he already has all of January and February and part of March filled with engagements to speak in the cities of Wisconsin.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY—Take
Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets. The signature on every box. 25 cents.

A two pound can of baked American Hulled Beans, which you can purchase at any good grocer's for 15 cents, gives you more actual nourishment than four pounds of any unhulled beans, yet American Hulled Beans cost you no more than do any reliable high grade brand of unhulled beans. It is economy to buy American Hulled Beans and a pleasure to eat them. Ask your grocer.

...Forty Years Ago...

Janesville Daily Gazette, January 16, 1863.—An epidemic has broken out in this city and has attacked all ages and sexes indiscriminately. The sedate business man who has accurately measured his paces for the past twenty years, the young miss just graduated from the nursery, the dashing belle in ample hoops, the "Young America" who is ever ready for any headlong or break neck adventure, the phlegmatic devourer of good things, the pipe stem dandy, and the "rough" who sees a mortal enemy in every stray dry goods box or brightly lettered sign, is off to the pond to test the quality of a new pair of skates, and to test his proficiency in locomotion over a field of glaring ice.

The Madison Journal received this afternoon contains the message of Gov. Salomon. It will occupy over eleven columns of our daily, and as we have had for some time past a portion of our workmen on the paper detailed for job work, we shall be compelled to divide it, giving one-half tomorrow and the remainder Monday. In the meantime we publish the synopsis of its subjects.

COMMISSIONER EMERY TALKS

NEW DAIRY AND FOOD COMMISSIONER EXPLAINS SITUATION.

TALKS ABOUT THE OLEO LAW

Makes an Answer to Fink on the Disputed Question of Coloring Matter.

Internal Revenue Collector Fink of Milwaukee and J. Q. Emery, the recently appointed dairy and food commissioner of the state, have recently been indulging in a little controversy through the columns of the state press as to the sale of colored oleomargarine in Wisconsin. Mr. Fink insisted that there was no such sale, while Mr. Emery took the opposite view. Mr. Emery has now come out with a statement which seems to explain the entire situation. He says that Mr. Fink has arrived at his opinion from a consideration of the national oleomargarine bill of 1902. Study of the state law, he says, deduces the opposite results.

National Law
The United States law provides that "if the production of oleomargarine, the mixtures or compounds set out in the law of 1886, are used, and these compounds are all free from artificial coloration and no artificial coloration is produced by the addition of coloring matter as an independent and separate ingredient, a tax of one cent per pound only will be collected, although the finished product may look like butter of some shade of yellow."

That is to say, that according to the United States law and the rulings of the revenue commissioner thereon, oleomargarine whose yellow color appeals to the eye, may, constructively, under specified conditions, be uncolored.

Wisconsin Enactment
In the state law on the other hand the oleomargarine must be "in a separate and distinct form and in such manner as will advise the consumer of its real character, and be free from coloration or ingredient that cause it to look like butter."

It is said that on being apprised of these facts, Mr. Fink admitted that he was in the wrong, and that there has been a plain violation of the law in this state. Mr. Emery does not hold that there has been any willful disregard of the provisions of the enactment, but that the misunderstanding has arisen from misinterpretation of the laws.

JACKSON I. CASE HAD MANY FRIENDS

Janesville People Often Talk of Days When the Late Millionaire Played Polo Here.

With the probating of the will of the late Jackson I. Case of Racine, numberless incidents have been recalled by his friends about the city, of the various Janesville events in which he figured. Most of them hinge about polo contests. In the days when Janesville stood among the best on the rollers J. I. Case was one of the star players of the Racine team, and often played at the Taylor rink before crowds that required additional seats erected over the river to accommodate them all. In every one of the matches which took place, Case is spoken of as one of the truest sportsmen of them all, a man whose friendship was worth having.

PLAY BASKET BALL AT EIGHT O'CLOCK

High School Game Is Called at That Hour This Evening at Gymnasium.

Between the halves of the basket ball game at the high school building this evening, two teams of young ladies will take the floor. The principal contest will be between the Burlington high school five, which has already defeated the Racine school by a margin of about ten points, and the local high school. The match is slated to begin promptly at eight o'clock in the gymnasium. The home team are not talking very loudly about their prospects, preferring to wait until they have won their laurels before they begin crowing over them.

Official information has been received at Chattanooga that Gen. Rosencrans has been heavily reinforced and is repairing the railroad from here to Nashville. Gen. Wheeler is in the rear, and has destroyed the railroad bridge just finished at Mill Creek, nine miles south of Nashville. He destroyed an engine, cars, and all tools, and captured the entire working party. From the front there is a report that the federals are ten miles this side of Murfreesboro and are advancing slowly.

The secretary of the interior has sent to congress a letter, accompanying letters from Indian Commissioner Dole, with a recommendation for the distribution of \$500,000 at once among the Indians of Utah, based upon the fact that many of the savages are becoming fractious and insubordinate, believing the government has lost its power or ability to protect them, on the one hand, and to keep them in subjection on the other. He also recommends two temporary special agencies, one for the Chippewas of Utah, the other for the upper Missourians.

FRED H. KOEBELIN IS ELECTED MAJOR

Has Been Made Commanding Officer of the First Battalion of Patriarch Militant of Wisconsin.

Fred H. Koebelin, of this city, has been elected major of the first battalion of the Patriarchs Militant of Wisconsin, his term of office to continue for the next two years. Official notice of his election, which goes into effect at once, was received by Major Koebelin from the office of Lieut. Col. H. J. Suttle, department commander of the state, Wednesday. The Patriarchs Militant which is the uniformed rank of the Old Fellows, has two battalions in the state and the first battalion includes six Cantons, one of them being Canton Janesville No. 9. Major Koebelin's election makes him an officer on Lieut. Col. Suttle's staff and is one of the highest honors in the gift of the order.

Members of the Canton Janesville No. 9 P. M. feel, however, that the occasion is not one for rejoicing alone. While they appreciate deeply the honor which comes to them through this election they would personally prefer that the honor should have gone somewhere else. They candidly admit that this feeling is entirely selfish and it arises from the fact that the local Canton must be the loser to a great extent by this election.

Mr. Koebelin has served the local Canton as the captain of its drill team and it was due largely to his efficiency as a commanding officer that the Janesville team won first honors in the competition last autumn. His position as major of the battalion will bar Mr. Koebelin from commanding a team in future prize contests and this is the reason that his fellow chevalliers do not feel entirely happy over his election.

For the same reason Mr. Koebelin did not desire the position, preferring to remain in the place where he could be of the greatest service to his own Canton. He has not decided definitely whether he will accept the office or decline it.

WILL INVITE OTHER CITIES

Neighboring Councils Will Attend the Annual Dancing Party of the Knights of Columbus.

Arrangements were perfected last evening by the Knights of Columbus for their annual ball. It will be a lavish affair, to which invitations will be extended to the neighboring councils of Beloit, Rockford and Madison. The Edgerton members of the local lodge will of course be included. The date is set for Wednesday, January 21. Preparations are being made with a view to surpassing all previous dancing parties which the local council has given.

A MASS MEETING OF TRADES UNIONS

Federated Trades Council Has Appointed a Committee to Make All Plans for Gathering.

At some date within the next month or perhaps later, a grand mass meeting of all labor men of the city will be held. The Federated Trades Council has appointed a committee to have the matter in charge, arrange a program, choose speakers, and make all preliminary plans. Its scope will probably be much the same as the similar meetings which have been held here in the past notably the one last June, to arouse greater enthusiasm and interest among the union employees of the city. It has not yet been decided whether or not the general public or simply union members will be admitted to the gathering. The date of the meeting is to be deferred long enough to give all of the trades unions opportunity to hold preparatory meetings.

At a meeting of the Trades Council on Wednesday evening, two fraternal delegates from the Beloit council were present as visitors. They were G. S. Krape of the Woodworkers and R. H. McCrea of the clerks.

A LOCAL PLUMBER GETS THE OFFICE

Vice-Presidency of the State Master Plumbers' Association Goes to Fred E. Green.

Two closed sessions held by the master plumbers of the state at Milwaukee, were followed by an open meeting, the results of which were not withheld. Immediate result was the passage of a resolution empowering a committee of five to draft a bill looking to the repeal of the present lien law, which was termed "class legislation." In the election of officers for the ensuing year a Janesville plumber was honored with the vice presidency. The complete list follows:

President—Frank J. Smith, Milwaukee.
Vice-President—Fred E. Green of Janesville.
Treasurer—George Kraft of Madison.
Secretary—Phil H. Murphy, Milwaukee.

Delegate to the Interstate League—L. R. Stollberg, Milwaukee.
Delegates to the National Convention—G. F. Reeke, Green Bay; S. D. Hanley, Milwaukee.
Fred E. Green and Will McVicar were the Janesville plumbers in attendance at the conference at Milwaukee.

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New York, Jan. 16.—John D. Rockefeller has contributed \$100,000 toward a fund of \$800,000 to be raised by the Young Men's Christian association of Brooklyn.

Baby Dies From Burns.

Chicago, Jan. 16.—The 18-month-old son of Harry W. Hamer, Park Ridge, died from burns received by overturning a kettle of hot water upon himself.

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THE MUNICIPAL LEAGUE

The Municipal League is no longer a myth. The meeting last night, not only packed the hall to its capacity, but the audience was composed of earnest, determined tax payers, ready to lend both moral and financial support to the movement.

It was the most harmonious gathering ever held in the city. The prevailing sentiment, without a dissenting voice, was for a better and more wholesome city government, and it is safe to say that results will be accomplished.

It was a non-partisan gathering but with a single purpose, without regard to sect or creed, and it was the best omen for good that has come to the city in many a year.

Money flowed into the treasury like water, and the prevailing sentiment was, "When you need more, come again." There will be no lack of funds, nor moral and legal support to unearthen irregularities and correct abuses that have long existed.

The League is no longer a by-word and any man who opposes by word or action the progressive movement, places himself in the limited class of men who are willing to say: "We are satisfied with the present conditions and do not care to see them disturbed." The League has come to stay and it will be a power for good. It is not a political organization, but it possesses the power to say, the best men only shall be entrusted with positions of public trust.

Every tax payer in the city, be he engaged in the saloon business or any other, who cares for good local government, will become identified with the movement. It is not accurate against intemperance, or any other specified class of immorality. It is simply an uprising of the tax payers in behalf of their own interests. Let the good work go on until the city is redeemed, and its affairs placed in the hands of men who regard a public trust as sacred as a private obligation.

THE UNIVERSITY

It is not improbable that during the session of the legislature an appropriation for the state university will be asked for and given by the legislature. Just how much of an investigation will be made of the actual needs of the institution is not certain but if it follows out past examples the 1903 legislature will be cajoled into making a good round appropriation for the benefit of the state school. If these same legislators who will vote so glibly for the money to help build up the educational end of the institution would only go behind the scenes and investigate the inside workings of the school they might find interesting facts. While without a doubt the university is among the greatest of any state university still there are many things, many practices, that might be well to be remedied before the institution gets to be much older. Pennsylvania, Harvard, Yale and all the big institutions have been forced to have a big wash day in the past and there is no time like the present for Wisconsin to have one. While it is an educational institution, the university is devoting much time and more money to its paid coaches and its trainers and its rubbers and other so called necessities of the modern athletic world than it does to many of its professors and instructors. While the old saying "All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy" is true still there is the thing of making too much play for Jack and too little work. Athletics are all right when kept within bounds. Football, base ball, foot and crew work are all fine developers for the physical side of the student but when they are made a part of a professional course of study, when a special paid trainer, a man who has no interests but his pay, and a paid manager who is paid to secure as much money as possible and arrange for just as many contests as is possible and above all sees that his team wins, then is the time to call a halt in the proceedings. One way to do this is for the legislature to ask for an investigation of the affairs and see if the money that is to be appropriated for educational uses is of as much consequence as a fund for athletics. If athletics come out the favorite then place a bulk sum in the hands of the professors who are paid to teach and also as a side issue to control the policies of the athletics for the use of athletics and the paid manager and let the educational end go. Then to it might be a safe investment for the legislature to ask why no president has as yet been chosen for the institution and why the Board of Regents still are dilatory regarding the election of a head for the institution that is to ask for funds. Of the three men now at the university, who are named as candidates two stand out prominently as amply qualified for the position, Professor Van Hise or Professor Turner. Both are young men, both are students. Both have the admiration and respect of the under graduates and of the gradu-

ates. Both are authority in their line of work of study throughout the United States and both have the qualifications for the presidency of an institution such as the university now is. The third man is but the choice of a few and among the alumni he has many bitter enemies who feel that the best interests of the state and of the university will not be benefited by his being placed in office. Let the members look to these two situations before they so readily grant the requests for more money and the another burden upon the taxpayers of the state.

LAKE NAVIGATION

The close of November on the great lakes usually marks the end of the season of through navigation. This year, for the first time, the Treasury Bureau of Statistics has covered an entire season's tonnage movement, giving arrivals and clearances at ports on these interior waters. For November, 214 ports-report arrivals and clearances, and the registered tonnage movement in net tons is available for the first 11 months of the year. December's tonnage adds slightly to these figures, but will not materially change the grand total. For the first 11 months of the past year, 77,408 vessels were reported as arrivals, with a net registered tonnage of 71,443,517 net tons, and 77,899 clearances of 72,215,099 net tons. These figures apply exclusively to coastwise trade; that is, to trade between domestic ports only, and do not include tonnage employed in the lake trade between Canada and the United States.

There are twenty individual ports on the great lakes having each a registered tonnage of arrivals ranging from 1 million to over 5 million tons. One Lake Superior 4 different ports had a combined tonnage of 14,353,972 net tons, of which Duluth is credited with 4,971,434 tons; Superior-West Superior, 4,087,139 tons; Two Harbors, 3,123,853 tons, and Ashland, 2,171,546 tons. Lake Michigan has seven ports which fall within this class, aggregating 19,773,132 tons of arrivals. Of these, Milwaukee stands at the head with 4,825,593 tons. Next in order comes Chicago, with 4,370,638 tons, followed by Escanaba with 3,914,256 tons, whose freight cargoes consisted very largely of ore shipments to the manufacturing districts of the lower lakes. South Chicago has a tonnage of 2,293,479 tons, and if included in that of Chicago, the combined tonnage would exceed the registered tonnage of any other lake port by more than 1-2 million tons. Next in order, on Lake Michigan, come Ludington, with 1,811,875 tons; Manitowish, 1,751,609 tons, and Frankfort, with 1,008,685 tons.

JOHN C. SPOONER

Now that it is assured that John C. Spooner will be elected to succeed himself as United States senator the staunch republicans of the state can breathe a sigh of relief. For two years his friends have fought for him and but for their gallant fight he would not have received the one hundred and four votes that he did. Some other man, some man picked for the purpose, perhaps Isaac Stephenson, would have had the honor and the state of Wisconsin would have lost the services of one of the best statesmen of the present day and age. Spooner the friend of presidents, the advisors of secretaries would have been relegated to the shelf to make way for some favorite who wanted the place. But the voters of the state thought otherwise and despite the plank in the state platform that called for his humbling himself or being defeated they have sent to Madison men who were pledged to vote for him for senator and the work begun two years ago has been accomplished. On January twenty-eighth John C. Spooner will be elected formally as senator to succeed himself for six years more.

STARTS AT LAST

At last definite steps have been taken to straighten out the tangle of city politics. George S. Parker, a taxpayer, and in virtue of the fact that he is the president of the Municipal League has begun a suit against Alderman James B. McLean as superintendent of the city stone crusher one and the same man on the statutory grounds as that he cannot hold the two positions under the existing law which governs the city. The suit seeks to recover the money paid to McLean as superintendent of the stone crusher and makes the city party to the suit so that the money can be turned back into the treasury. This is the first step. More will follow and interesting features may be looked for before this movement to sweep the city of Janesville clean of all suspicion of fraud or misappropriation of city funds by evasion of the law is over.

A man who proclaimed himself greater than Dowie has been tried as to his sanity and found "not guilty." Perhaps the jury did not wish to reflect on John Alexander's own claims.

Prime Minister Witte says Russia has to spend too much on her army to spare enough for education. Of course this is in darkest Russia. But how about England, who has to trade with the church for school buildings while she spends millions sterling for unimproved real estate at the other end of the earth?

Sixteen "goods" at Northwestern have decided to segregate, and for the same reason that moved President Harper to make the innovation general down on the Midway. The girls declare that the boys interfere with their studies. The worm has turned.

Washington rushed the question of the coal bill through the senate and house with a dispatch that was more than creditable and now the president has signed it and it is a law. Hurrah for free coal.

Now that the winter has come and all the ground is frozen up comes the word that northern Wisconsin has countless peat beds that would supply the world with fuel.

An Indian judge who accepted pay from his appointees to help defray his campaign expenses has been "persuaded" to resign by the county bar. Our judges must be like Caesar's wife, above suspicion.

Now that the latest trust is formed of the monkey, parrot, bird and animal dealers, we may naturally see a regular monkey and parrot sort of a time all around.

Much sickness and distress prevails in the cities owing to a lack of fuel. Rich and poor alike are crowding the authorities in hopes of securing needed supplies.

Milwaukee started on an investigating tour all of its own without the aid of a grand jury and found ten thousand tons of coal hidden away and the poor suffering.

And is the most that can be squeezed out of the present congress in the way of tariff reform a rebate on coal? Still the democrats continue to grope for an "issue" for 1904.

The Lenroot referendum measure of last session will again be brought in. This provides all proposed franchises must be submitted to the popular vote.

General Taft remains in the Philippines and General Wood asks for service there. Americans begin to "hear the East a-calling."

Professor Deltsch of Berlin says that Moses was a plagiarist. Would that we had more of this quality of plagiarism nowadays.

It looks like serious trouble in the Balkans with the powers aiding in promoting a revolution in Macedonia. A slap at Turkey.

Santa Claus David Rose promises thirty thousand tons of coal by the first of February. Milwaukee's mayor may not be all bluff after all.

Milwaukee is to have an immense coke and oven plant. Hon. Mark Hanna is the leading spirit in the move.

It will take a good head to straighten out the complications the new German tariff will create with this country.

It is no longer a crime in Toledo to steal coal. But how about the offense that makes such stealing necessary?

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The lunches which are served at the high school are given to the patrons at a price which is designed simply to cover the actual cost. Three courses are served for fifteen cents or the patrons are privileged to buy any one of the courses for five cents. In former years the entire luncheon has been served for ten cents but the higher cost of provisions this winter has necessitated an advance in the price charged.

Three Courses Served
The same general plan of menu is followed each day. The first course is always some nutritious soup and wafers. Next hot chocolate and sandwiches are served, no limit being placed on the number of sandwiches eaten. The kind of sandwiches is changed every day, meat, nuts or some other filling always being used. The dessert course follows and is generally some healthy pudding.

One of the objects regarded in planning the menu is to select articles which will be appetizing and will also furnish the greatest possible amount of nourishment. That the luncheons are appreciated is evidenced by the enthusiasm with which they were welcomed and the manner in which they are being patronized.

Students Do the Work
The luncheons are not alone for the convenience of the patrons. They are of practical benefit to the members of the cooking classes, giving them experience and a keener interest in their work. The young girls who are taking the course in domestic science have charge of preparing and serving the luncheons, a certain number being detailed for each day. Four girls wait on the tables and the balance are on duty in the kitchen. Daintiness of service and a general efficiency is insisted upon.

Many Patrons
The long tables at which the lunches are served are laid in the sewing room which adjoins the kitchen on the third floor of the building. There are about twenty-five regular patrons besides those who take advantage of the lunches occasionally. Severe weather would increase the patronage considerably.

FLOOR IS WEAK

Municipal Court Room Can Not Stand Large Strain
Considerable uneasiness was felt last night by many of those present at the Municipal League meeting about the floor in the assembly room of the new city hall standing, the strain put upon it. The floor cracked loudly several times and showed it was carrying all that it could stand. Some of those present left the meeting rather than take any chances on going through. There are several places in the building that are in bad shape and the floor of the municipal court room will have to be propped up soon or it will be down into the cell room of the city lock-up.

Club to Meet: The Philomathian club will hold their regular meeting with Mrs. F. H. Koehlin, 277 Prospect avenue, Saturday afternoon, Jan. 17 at three o'clock.

Wanted—Local representatives. Lady or gentleman. Steady position to the right party. Salary from \$1.50 to \$2.00 per day. Enquire at the American House, Jan. 17th from 10 a. m. to 2 p. m. Room 4. F. M. TUSKEN.

PRESS COMMENT.

Vernon County Censor. Free silver and its advocacy has brought William Jennings Bryan one of the most palatial dwellings in the state of Nebraska and a barrel of money besides.

La Crosse Republican and Leader: A careful canvass of the democrats in congress reveals the fact that seventeen distinct varieties of democrats are required for the next presidential nominee.

Superior Telegram: Out of 78,000 postmasters in this country, including the new possessions, not one is delinquent. This is something of a commentary on the postal service of the country.

Geneva Herald: The new cable to Honolulu is landed and in working order, and as they read the morning telegrams the Hawaiians are fully convinced that they have hitched their wagon to forty-five stars.

Corned Beef Hash Supper
An old fashioned corn beef hash and baked bean supper will be served at the social rooms of the Court St. church Saturday evening from 5:30 to 7:30.

Don't forget the supper at Court St. M. E. church Saturday evening from 5:30 to 7:30. Plenty of good things to eat will be provided. Price 25 cents.

NOTICE.

The Gazette is willing and pleased to publish all notices of lodge or society meetings, but it has found it necessary to make the rule that all such notices must be written and left at the office before 11 o'clock of the day they are to be published. In the future no notices, except paid ones, will be received over the telephone. GAZETTE PRINTING CO.

FUTURE EVENTS

Janesville High school basketball team vs. the Burlington high school five at the high school gym this evening.
Basket ball between the Janesville and Rockford teams at the Y. M. C. A. gym tomorrow evening.
United Commercial Travelers' dance at East Side Odd Fellows' hall tomorrow evening.
"Foxy Quiller" at the Myers Grand on Tuesday evening.
A. O. U. W. masquerade at Assembly hall on January 20.

LODGE MEETINGS TONIGHT
Rock River Euclawmpton No. 3 I. O. O. F., at East Odd Fellows' hall.
People's lodge, No. 490, I. O. G. T., at Good Templars' hall.
Oriental lodge, No. 22, Knights of Pythias at K. P. hall.
Bower City Verein, No. 31, Germania Unterstuetzungs Verein at East Side Odd Fellows' hall.
Amalgamated Sheet Metal Workers at Assembly hall.
Carpenters' union at Assembly hall.
Stone Cutters' association of North America at Assembly hall.

BRIEF BITS OF LOCAL NEWS

Look on last page.
Why did Spencer do it?
Look on last page.
Ginger snaps 5c. W. L. Taylor.
Try our 25c Japan tea. Fair.
Blame Spencer, page 8.
Plenty fine butter, 24c. Lowell Co.
Basket Ball—Rockford vs. Janesville at 8:00 tomorrow night. Admission 25 cents.

Spencer acts bad on page 8.
Just one half the regular price on all coats this month.

Bort, Bailey & Co.
The well known architect, Mr. F. H. Kemp, will open an office in the Hayes Block, Feb. 1st.

A great many people have taken advantage of the first day of our special sale.

T. P. Burns.

J. M. Bostwick & Sons offer women's cloth winter cloaks at half price commencing Saturday morning.

Home grown lettuce, radishes, green onions and vegetable oysters, Nash.

Shoe dealers blame Spencer.

Fancy comb candy 15c lb. W. L. Taylor.

Both phones 338.

Price cut in two of all cloaks and furs during our special clearing sale.

T. P. Burns.

Order your meat early. Finest meats in city. Elegant veal and lamb.

Lowell Co.

Amos Rehberg & Co. great January clearing sale is attracting many buyers.

Look at their ad page 4.

50 lb. sack Cream of Wheat flour, 95c.

Fair.

23 lbs. granulated sugar and 50 lb. sack Cream of Wheat flour, \$2.00.

21 lb. H. & E. granulated sugar, \$1.

Fair.

4 lb. finest white evaporated apples in the city at 25c.

Lowell Co.

Without reserve Bort, Bailey & Co. are closing out their immense stock of coats and tailored suits this month at a saving of 25 per cent and more on every garment.

23 lbs. fine granulated sugar, 1 sack best patent flour, \$2.00. Lowell Co.

There is no reason why Spencer should not close out every pair of shoes in his entire store within the next few days as the \$1.50 price for high grade shoes should do the work and in a short time at that.

21 lb. fine granulated sugar, \$1.00.

Lowell Co.

9 lbs. fresh rolled oat meal, 25c.

Fair.

5 lb. pails Mocha and Java coffee, \$1.00.

Lowell Co.

Try our 10c coffee.

Fair.

12 lbs Eclipse coffee, \$1.00.

Lowell Co.

If you find common beans do not agree with you, try American Hulled Beans—they can be eaten freely by anyone without annoying after effects and possess a delicate flavor heretofore unknown to beans. In two pound cans ready cooked. Price 15c. Ask your grocer.

8 lbs. fine prunes, 25c. Lowell Co.

H. G. lettuce and radishes, Nash.

Penn Dutch sauerkraut, 15c gal.

Lowell Co.

H. M. cottage cheese Wednesdays and Saturdays.

Nash.

Another lot of that fine salmon, 7c. 4 cans 25c.

Lowell Co.

The material alone would cost you what you pay now for one of our tailor made suits. Ten dollar suits are now being closed out at \$6.67.

Bort, Bailey & Co.

\$2.50 shoe bargains. Many from highest priced shoes. They must move. It is a great mark down and you should not fail to take advantage of it. See our window. Amos Rehberg & Co.

Armour pig pork sausage, Nash.

The freshest, salted wafers, Nash.

Corner Stone, \$1.00.

Nash.

New laid dates, 5c lb.

Nash.

Every Saturday and Monday you will be able to consult W. F. Hayes, the eye specialist with J. C. Cook & Co.

During the past few weeks Mr. Hayes has been meeting with success in all portions of the Badger state. His patrons are numerous in the city of Milwaukee.

\$8.59 that's the price that people talk so much about, the greatest overcoat and suit values ever offered. See them. We invite you to look. It costs you nothing. Amos Rehberg & Co.

ST. PAUL STATION ABOUT COMPLETED

OFFICIALS WILL MOVE IN NEXT SUNDAY MORNING.

IMMENSE PLATFORM IS READY

Superintendent Eldredge Gives Final Instructions, and Locates Bus and Hack Stands.

Superintendent P. C. Eldredge of the St. Paul road was in the city today inspecting the new station and getting it cleaned up so that it can be occupied Sunday. There are a good many things of a permanent nature about the platform that cannot be completed until spring and temporary plankings has been put in for the winter.

Cleaning Debris Away
The piles of sand and refuse have been cleaned away so that the platform is in good condition to handle their passenger trade. The only drawback to opening the station on Sunday is that the furniture for the waiting rooms is not yet completed and the old suits will have to be taken from the present station and used for a few days.

Bus Stand Question
The hack and bus stand question was settled by Mr. Eldredge. He looked the ground over with Agent Johnson and showed him the stands to assign to each of the busses and the different hack lines. The platform is so arranged that all have an equal chance for business and have a hack and bus stand next to the platform.

THOMAS HEMMENS BADLY INJURED

Was Struck by North-Western Passenger Train While Walking on Tracks Near Monterey.

Thomas Hemmens, seventy-two years of age and residing at 252 Lincoln street was struck by a North-western passenger train near Monterey bridge, about one o'clock today and was badly injured.

Was Demented
Mr. Hemmens has been out of his mind for some time and today left home and wandered away down towards Monterey, where he walked onto the railroad track in front of the Northwestern passenger train that leaves here about 12:45 for Chicago. The engineer did not have time to stop after Mr. Hemmens stepped onto the track, although he succeeded in checking the speed of the train considerably before the engine struck him.

Was Unconscious
The injured man was picked up and placed in the baggage car and the train backed up to the passenger station, where a call was sent for the patrol wagon and the injured man was conveyed to the hospital.

Hip Fractured
It was found that Mr. Hemmens' left hip was fractured and that he had received numerous cuts and bruises about the head and body besides internal injuries. Mr. Hemmens, being well along in years and quite feeble the injuries may result seriously for him.

WAS BURNED BY HOT TEA

Mrs. F. Hayner Receives Painful Injuries at Supper Table.

While seated at the upper table on Thursday evening, Mrs. F. Hayner was accidentally burned by some hot tea, scalding her face. The injuries were not of a serious nature, but proved to be quite painful. A tea pot of the steaming fluid was being passed to her over her shoulder, and in some way the liquid was spilled. Dr. James Gibson attended her.

E. A. FOLLEY INJURES KNEE

Former Janesville Athletic Director Hurt in Milwaukee Last Week.

E. A. Folley, formerly Y. M. C. A. athletic director in this city, is confined to his home in Milwaukee by a wrenched knee. The accident occurred last Saturday on a icy sidewalk. Intelligence reached this city through a request which he sent to H. E. Cary, his brother-in-law, that a pair of crutches belonging to him, be forwarded to him.

Injures Hand: Frank Albright, living near Afton, caught his left hand in the gearing of a windmill he was oiling yesterday afternoon and as a result lost the fore finger of his left hand and seriously injured the balance of the hand.

A FEW DOST'S.

of Smith's Laxative Cold Cure will cure and prevent a cold in the head. Guarantees refund of money if not cured. Price 25 cents. 5 boxes \$1.00. Sent by mail on receipt of price. Smith's Pharmacy, Kodaks and appliances. Two Registered Pharmacists.

NEW TELEPHONE DIRECTORY

THE ROCK COUNTY TELEPHONE CO.

Will issue a new directory of subscribers in January. Order your 'Phone now and be on the list. We furnish full metallic circuits with the latest and best instruments.

Prompt, courteous and efficient service. This is the HOME company and you should be a subscriber.

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Residence Rate Only 5 Cents Per Day.

Call up 'Phone 901.
Rock County Telephone Co.

NEWS OF A PERSONAL NATURE

F. A. Baker of Evansville was in the city yesterday on county board business.

Dr. Harry Blay of Footville was in the city yesterday on professional business.

Miss Alma Rudell of Johnstown was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Mortimer Knox, 60 Jefferson avenue.

J. J. Donahoe of Winona, one of the officers of the Northern Grain Co. was in the city yesterday.

Miss Franc Edwards is now in the employ of the F. M. Marzluft Co., as a member of the office force.

Joseph Delaney was in Deloit last evening and assisted in organizing a branch of the social democratic party.

Fred Rau will leave next Monday for El Paso, Texas in hopes of benefiting his health. He has been confined to his home for some time past.

Mrs. Sophie Marksman received a telegram from Grass Park, Ill., this morning stating that her brother, Will Hackmaster, was dying, and not expected to live the day out.

At a cost of \$2,500 Contractor Mortimer Knox has completed a model home at No. 60 Jefferson avenue, Forest park. The interior finishings are in California red wood. Today Mr. Knox and family moved into their new home.

Jim Keene's Specialty.
According to a special dispatch Jim Keene has sustained a loss of \$25,000,000 through the recent disastrous slump in industrial stocks. There are but few of us who would not feel a bit poor after such a jolting as that. But what business had Jim Keene to be on the bull side of the market, anyway? James is more expert as a hammerer than as a booster.

Had to Shoot Something.
The singing of a Chicago young woman so inspired a gentleman in the next flat that he grabbed a pistol and shot a man. The presumption is that he could not get at the fair warbler herself.

A Distinct Advance.
Now that a girl with a wounded heart has had the aperture sewed up, may we expect that surgery will supplant breach-of-promise suits in healing broken hearts?

Best oatmeal 3c. W. L. Taylor.

Both phones 393.

A BARGAIN DAY AT DEDRICK'S

Oranges, Doz. 15c. (Small California. Nice for slicing.)
Large Navel, Doz. 35c.
Lemons, large, fine, Doz. 24c.
Dates, new, lb. 5c.
Purity Buckwheat, 30c.
Ginger snaps, lb. 5c.
Gal. pall syrup, 25c.
New Prunes, lb. 3c.
Jumbo Peaches, lb 8 1-2c.
Rib Stalk Celery, 8c.
Black Walnuts, pk. 25c.
Sweet N. Y. Elder, gal. 22c.
Fancy Kraut, gal. 12 1-2c.
Butter Scotch Wafers, lb. 20c.
(Perfectly delicious.)

Dean's Havanas,

\$500 forfeit if not from GENUINE imported Cuban tobacco. The best in years.
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At all times a first class Grip or Trunk is an absolute necessity in the home. New line just in. Prices most reasonable not quoted here simply on account of our handling all grades.

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Successor to James Solik,
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ELKS MAY RENT NEW CLUB ROOMS

PROPOSITION IS BEING CONSIDERED BY LOCAL LODGE.

LOOKING AT SUITE OF ROOMS

Old Municipal Court Room and Adjacent Offices May Be Secured and Remodeled.

A movement is on foot among the Elks of this city, to secure club and lodge rooms of their own. The matter has been given a careful investigation and will be taken up at the next meeting of the order. They have a proposition from George G. Sutherland, to rent them the old municipal court rooms and the offices fronting on the bridge.

The rooms can be secured for about the same money that they pay for the Knights of Pythias' lodge rooms and will give them pleasant and commodious quarters. The rooms are centrally located and the court room could be remodelled and made into a handsome lodge room. The rooms in the rear of the court room can be converted into rooms to be used during the initiation of candidates and for committee rooms at other times. The front rooms on the bridge can be converted into handsome reading and smoking rooms, where the members of the order and visiting brothers can always have a place to spend an idle hour.

The Elks are a social and fraternal order and one of their main strongholds is the entertainment of lodge members and visiting brethren. The lodge in this city has been handicapped by the fact that they had no place to entertain visiting Elks, or their own members, except on lodge nights.

The local lodge has quite a sum of money on hand which will be used to furnish the new rooms if they are secured. Besides making a pleasant place for the present lodge members together the rooms will be the means of securing many new members.

George B. Stevens
George B. Stevens, for many years a resident of this city died at the home of his son, Dr. J. V. Stevens, in Jefferson this morning at 5 o'clock. One other son, E. Ray Stevens of Madison survives. The remains will be brought to this city for interment, arriving here on Monday afternoon at 12:45 o'clock.

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\$4 and \$3.50
SHOES
in men's @
women's at

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The Best Porous Plasters for all aches and pains. Cures...

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Weak Women
and Children
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Your money
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Kodaks and Kodak Supplies.
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For Reading or Sewing
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The best 5c Cigar
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Guaranteed all
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Opposite Post Office.

The News From County Towns.

MILTON. Jan. 16.—The lecture of Prof. P. H. Lewis, of the Lewis Institute, Chicago, did not receive the patronage that it would have been accorded had it been better advertised. Those who were fortunate enough to be present had the pleasure of hearing an eloquent and cultured speaker and a literary production that was filled with meaty thought. Despite the fact that the lecture was not well advertised the college chapel was crowded. Dr. Lewis delivers another lecture in March.

The fancy chicken raisers of Milton were favored this week by having Chas. McClure, of New London, Ohio, one of the best poultry judges in the United States, here to score and mate their stock. He looked over the stock of Miles Rice, Rev. T. W. North, G. E. Osborn, and R. W. Brown, all of which showed up good. Out of 160 scored for Miles 75 had an average of 92 points. It was through the efforts of County Treasurer Rice that Mr. McClure was secured for this work, he being one of the judges at the great Chicago show next week, also the Stoughton show.

Miss Lucy Walker left for Evansville, Ind., Thursday.

Miss Atwood gives instruction in the ladies class in physical culture at the college this term.

The Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church served dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bullis Tuesday.

Miss Kathryn Walker, of Chicago, visited Milton friends this week.

Messrs. L. A. and H. B. Looftboro, of Welton, Iowa, have been in town this week.

Here the Firemen's band play Marietta next Tuesday evening at the concert in Good Templars' hall. Bert Carey sold his tobacco Tuesday to Well for 8 and 2.

The Epworth League enjoy a box social next Thursday evening at the church. You are invited.

Dr. G. W. Post, of Chicago, was in town Wednesday evening to attend the board meeting of college trustees.

At the regular meeting of A. D. Hamilton W. R. C. Wednesday the retiring president and secretary, Mesdames J. E. Davidson and W. P. Clarke, and the chairman of the executive committee, Mrs. A. B. Lee, were presented with Milton college souvenir spoons.

FAIRFIELD. Jan. 16.—The M. W. A. conducted installation ceremonies Saturday evening.

Miss Florence Reeder of Avalon spent last week at C. H. Robinson's.

Miss Mary Williams was the guest of Darlen friends last week.

Mrs. Elma Dykeman is planning a trip to Chicago this week.

The American Telephone Co. had men at work on the line the past week.

Corn shredding and wood sawing keep the Brothard Brothers busy this winter.

Miss Winifred Chase spent Saturday and Sunday with her friend, Miss Cutter.

The marriage of Rev. Elmer W. Serl of Cincinnati, Ohio, and Miss Carolyn Kimmick of Chattanooga, Tenn., was solemnized Dec. 31st, at the home of the bride. Friends extended best wishes for a happy future.

Miss Mina Cutter gave readings at the farmers' convention at Milton Junction, last Thursday. She was assisted by the Beloit College quartette.

Mrs. C. H. Robinson entertained a large company of relatives to a dinner on Friday last. Those present were the families of C. Kemp, Emerald Grove; C. Hackwell, Fairfield; E. Kemp, Rock Prairie; W. Lamb, Johnston, and R. Kemp, Emerald Grove.

Any one having stock to butcher will do well to call on Mr. Morris, at the creamery, who is a first class hand at the business; and the farmers are giving him quite a little practice, for with the prevailing high prices of beef and pork, many think it well to lay down their own supply. The farmer has about the best chance of any one in getting ahead of the trusts.

We are glad to note an increased interest in the class of Bible study, and trust many more will plan to take up this work. Lesson for Saturday afternoon, Acts 17: 1-15.

The Ladies' Industrial society met with Mrs. Sidney Welch, Wednesday afternoon.

A large company were in attendance at the Royal Neighbors' social, Thursday evening, and a good time is reported.

FULTON. Jan. 15.—Owing to the failure of Dr. Hopkins to fulfill his engagement as the third number of our lecture course, the following changes have become necessary. As noticed in last week's paper the date of Mrs. Day's entertainment is fixed for Friday evening, January 23.

On February 3rd the fourth number of the course will be given. It will consist of a concert by the Mozart Symphony club one of the highest priced concert troupes on the road. The committee is very fortunate in being able to secure this club, and it could be done only by a great concession being made to the people here by the bureau. In consideration of the fact that Dr. Hopkins has disappointed us two years in succession they have deemed it no more than double Dr. Hopkins' price for effort to allay his disappointment. They have accordingly consented to put in the Mozart Symphony club, which costs them considerably more than double Dr. Hopkins' price for the same price of his lecture. The high grade of this concert company and consequently their high prices, make it possible for only the lecture

courses in the large cities to secure them, and although we were disappointed at not being able to listen to so fine a speaker as Dr. Hopkins, we believe our lecture course has been greatly strengthened by the change. Mrs. Day will be assisted in her entertainment by Chas. W. Raymond whose beautiful tenor voice the people of this community are always delighted to hear. We are sure that the announcement that Mrs. Day assisted by Mr. Raymond, will appear here so soon, will be pleasing to the people. Remember the date, January 23rd. Single tickets 35 and 25 cents.

FOOTVILLE. Jan. 15.—The revival meetings of the Christian church are well attended, much interest being manifested. Rev. Wetzel delivers excellent sermons.

Dr. Blay made a hasty visit to his Janesville home recently.

Rev. Williams and family visited at B. W. Snyder's on Wednesday last. Miss Emma Phillips is sewing in Hanover this week.

The Mission class met at the home of Arthur Wiggins at its last session Tuesday evening.

John Evans who has been spending a few days with his parents here returned to his post as operator near Caledonia on Wednesday.

Miss Alice Clifford was in Evansville on Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Wells visited her daughter last Thursday.

Mrs. D. W. and F. D. Pepper visited at the home of Mr. Henry Pepper on Tuesday.

Harry Dunbar who has been out to North Dakota with his uncle for some time has returned home again.

Harry Silverthorn was an Orfordville visitor Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. E. Hawk received the sad intelligence on Friday of her brother's death. Mr. Joe Blaisdale, of Findlay, Ohio. No particulars have as yet arrived.

Albert Palmer of Spring Valley was a caller here Wednesday.

Mrs. Walter Woolcott of Macgregor is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Mattie.

Leo Timmons is dangerously ill.

Henry Stevens delivered his tobacco to Janesville parties last Wednesday.

Coal has jumped in price to \$15.

SPRING VALLEY. Jan. 15.—Mr. Sam Schlem has moved from Decatur to Mr. Archie Smith's farm in Spring Valley.

Mrs. Wm. Capel has moved from her farm to her home in Brothard.

Chas. Gibson has purchased a new cutter.

Mr. N. N. Palmer and son sold a calf to a party in the town of Harmony and also one at Fort Atkinson.

Mrs. Stone Liston is on the sick list.

Mr. Frank Owen of Footville was a guest at Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Palmer's Tuesday.

Capt. Van Etta of Dakota gave a temperance lecture at the Corners one evening last week.

There was a divine service at the Corners last Sabbath.

The Cerom club met with the Misses Mary and Tona Harper last week Thursday night.

Master Glenn Palmer attended a party south of Brothard last week Friday evening.

LA PRAIRIE. Jan. 16.—The Modern Woodmen dance given by the Emerald Grove camp was well attended and a very pleasant affair.

Orval Woodman has been engaged in stripping tobacco for Frank Chubbuck.

J. E. Gleason has returned home after spending six weeks in New York and Pennsylvania with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Cheesbro was the oldest resident in this town. She was a woman of good qualities and will be sadly missed.

Norman Parker's sons are gaining which will be pleasing news to their many friends.

Walker Scott had the misfortune to injure his leg quite seriously at the grain elevator last Saturday. He will be confined to his house for a few days.

Mrs. Dave Lowry, of Dakota, formerly Miss Adelle Wilcox, is visiting friends and relatives.

The L. M. B. S. will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Reeder Jan. 22.

PORTER. Jan. 16.—Frank Boss, buttermaker at the Eagle creamery wishes to kindly thank the patrons who so generously assisted in filling the ice house on Tuesday. Over seventy loads were put up, the ice being fourteen inches thick.

W. L. O'Neill of Janesville is spending the week here.

Fred Boss of Leyden was up on Tuesday and spent the day.

Andrew Nichols is working in tobacco in Janesville, and Mark Nichols in Edgerton.

Fred Mosher has gone to Edgerton to work.

Mr. Kroeger departed this life at the home of his son-in-law, G. Handke, on Monday morning at an advanced age. The deceased suffered a paralytic stroke on Saturday from which he never rallied. The funeral was held on Wednesday, the services being held in the German church in Edgerton, after which the remains were laid to rest in Fasset cemetery.

WEST PORTER. Jan. 16.—A number of the farmers in this vicinity have finished stripping their tobacco and are delivering it.

Mr. Henry Brunzell who has been

suffering from a cancer for several months is growing much worse. Matt Smith, Jr., has returned to his home in Larchwood, Iowa, after a few weeks' visit with relatives and friends here.

Miss Mabel Sperry of North Johnston visited relatives and friends in this neighborhood a few days of last week.

John Sperry and family, Geo. Keylock and family and Miss Mabel Sperry spent Wednesday evening of last week at W. M. Tolles'.

W. M. Tolles and son Pilly were callers at Burr Tolles' of Dunkirk last Monday.

Hiram Sperry was an Edgerton visitor last Thursday.

BARKERS CORNERS. Jan. 16.—Miss Louise Boettcher is home from her pleasant trip to Whitewater.

Will Rabyor and John Vananthrop are sorting tobacco in Edgerton.

Guy Griffey is seen on the streets of Janesville again.

Miss Kilt McDermott is improving at the present writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kidder are home on a visit.

Mr. F. W. Boettcher made a business trip to Tom Craten's Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Agnes McDermott and Harold Russell are confined to their home by sickness.

Mr. Henry Knoff is back from the west.

Quite a number of the young people are sorting tobacco in Janesville.

Frank Harvey of Footville is on the sick list.

Mr. M. Rabyor was a caller at J. McDermott's Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Ed. Davis has finished stripping tobacco.

Mr. Alb. Stark is sorting tobacco at home.

Harold Hodge was a caller at Wm. Hodge's Saturday.

The agent of Dr. Ward's Liniment called Tuesday.

MAGNOLIA. Jan. 15.—Mr. Elmer Townsend was very pleasantly surprised last Monday night by about thirty of his young friends, who took possession of his home and spent a most enjoyable evening.

Mr. Townsend left Tuesday for Janesville where he will begin his work as foreman on the railroad.

Mrs. Lottie Edwards is home again. A bob load from Footville attended the Royal Workers' social at Mr. and Mrs. Andrew's Friday night.

Messrs. Frank Clark and Warren Andrew have telephones in their homes.

Miss Jessie Andrew is home from Green Bay, where she has been visiting.

TOWN OF JANESVILLE. Jan. 14.—Edwin Welch, youngest son of Mrs. Howard Welch, has been confined to his home the past few days by a severe cold.

The Misses Stella and Josie McCarthy are visiting in the city.

A. M. Chase spent Sunday with V. E. Ingle and family.

Martin Anderson and family have moved into the city.

Fred Berkenland has returned from a visit at Watertown.

JOHNSTOWN. Jan. 16.—All are cordially invited to attend a church party to be given by the Royal Neighbors at their hall at Johnston Center, Friday evening, January 23.

A number from here attended the Woodmen's entertainment at Richmond Jan. 13 and report a fine time.

Mr. and Mrs. August Scharline are the happy parents of a little son born Jan. 11.

INDIAN FORD. Jan. 16.—Mrs. Sarah Shuman is reported on the gain though she is still very sick.

Judge C. A. Smart, of Ottawa, Kansas took dinner at C. L. Scofield's last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Wood spent Sunday in Janesville.

Mr. Alex. Shuman was over from Milton Sunday.

Mrs. Kittle Chamberlain and Mrs. Maud Lackner visited Mrs. Dr. McCheyney at Edgerton Tuesday last.

Foreign Coal Coming. Boston, Mass., Jan. 16.—A wholesale firm in this city announces that as the result of the removal of the duty on coal it had closed charters with between forty and fifty steamers to bring steam coal to this port, about 300,000 tons in all.

Grand Army Hotel Rates. San Francisco, Jan. 16.—The hotel committee from the general committee on national Grand army encampment to be held here this summer has decided to make no advance in rates at hotels during the week of the encampment.

Starving in Sweden. Stockholm, Sweden, Jan. 16.—Seventy thousand persons, who are starving in northern Sweden, are compelled to eat pine bark, which they make into a sort of bread with ice-land moss.

Noted G. A. R. Man Dies. Sioux City, Iowa, Jan. 16.—Col. Thompson of Rock Rapids, former commander of the Grand Army of Iowa, is dead. He was a well-known banker and pioneer.

Johnson Will Be a Candidate. Springfield, O., Jan. 16.—Mayor Tom Johnson of Cleveland has made the public announcement that he will enter the race for the nomination for governor.

LIVS STOCK MEN TALK OF RANGES

MORE LAND FOR HOMESTEADS

Agree With Opinion That Larger Areas of Semiarid Tracts Should Be Allowed for This Purpose and Urge Just and Fair Remedies.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 16.—At yesterday's sessions of the National Live Stock association's convention many papers were read and discussed and many resolutions were introduced and considered. The convention will finish its work to-day and will be allowed Saturday by the annual meeting of the National Wool Growers' association.

One of the most important resolutions sought to heal the bitterness between cattlemen and sheepmen over the public lands used as ranges. Following is the text of the vital part of the resolution, prepared by a cattleman, approved by sheepmen and endorsed by the convention:

To Build Up the West.

"Resolved, That we approve the suggestion of President Roosevelt in his last annual message to congress that larger areas of these semiarid lands should be allowed for a homestead and that a commission of experts be appointed to investigate the present existing condition and suggest to congress the remedies that will be fair and just and will build up rather than retard the growth and improvement of the west."

As to Freight Rates.

J. W. Robinson of Kansas offered a resolution urging congress to give the interstate commerce commission power to enforce its decrees in cases of freight rate discrimination. It was adopted. The government's work in stamping out foot and mouth disease in New England was indorsed.

A resolution indorsing Senator W. A. Harris of Kansas for appointment as a member of the isthmian canal commission was adopted, as was one indorsing the Penrose bill providing for the improvement of horses.

Listen to Papers.

William M. Springer of Washington, counsel for the association, reported on "The Proposed Merging of the Packing Plants of This Country and the Effects and Remedy." Dr. W. H. Dalrymple of Louisiana read a paper on "Infectious Diseases and Their Prevention." C. E. Abbott of Springfield, N. M., and Senator Francis Emory Warren of Wyoming, president of the National Wool Growers' association, also addressed the delegates.

Should Lease Ranges.

Among the speakers were E. C. Jacobsen of Illinois, whose topic was "The Destruction of Hides by Warbles," and Colonel John P. Irish of California, who led the discussion on "The Changes Congress Should Make in the Laws Governing the Public Domain and Forest Reserves."

In his address Mr. Irish said: "The government should retain public ownership of the range and protect its forage by leasing it in suitable tracts to the hardy men who occupy it, understand it and will take measures to renew its grasses and restore its primitive capacity for carrying stock."

HOPE FOR ABRAHAM S. HEWITT

Doctors Held Consultation and Issue a Statement About Patient.

New York, Jan. 16.—Dr. Walter B. James, professor of medicine at the College of Physicians and Surgeons, was called into consultation with the physicians in attendance on ex-Mayor Abraham S. Hewitt. Afterward the following bulletin was issued: "There has been no manifest improvement nor any evidence of change for the worse. The strength is moderately retained."

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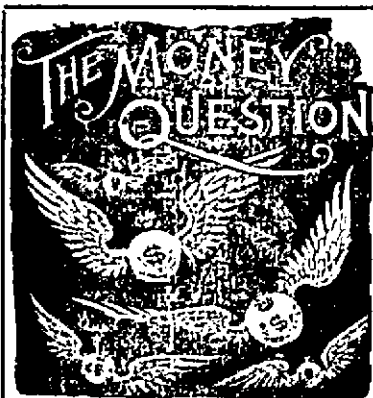
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PRESS COMMENT

Marquette Eagle: Just why the True marriage law should be kept on the statute books is a mystery.

Fond du Lac Reporter: A Menasha coal dealer advertises coal for sale in any quantity. The people of that town are especially fortunate.

Evening Wisconsin: It should be exceedingly impolite, just now, for a coal dealer to ask a consumer "Is this cold enough for you?"

Chippewa Herald: Reports from the lumbering district indicate that the logging conditions are perfect, and this ought to be a banner year for the contractors.

Oshkosh Times: Districts in Milwaukee are in a state of destitution because of the shortage of coal, but Milwaukee is not the only cinder on the dump.

Beloit Free Press: When the Venezuelan business is all settled, President Roosevelt and Secretary Hay can say, "we did it," and not be justly accused of egotism.

TODAYS MARKET REPORT.

From the Hadden, Hodges Co., 304 Jackson Block, Janesville.

C. L. Cutler resident manager.

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
May.....	75	75 1/2	74 1/2	75 1/2
July.....	74 1/2	74 1/2	74	74 1/2
CORN—				
May.....	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
July.....	44 1/2	44 1/2	44	44 1/2
OATS—				
May.....	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
July.....	32 1/2	32 1/2	32	32 1/2
POKE—				
May.....	14 5/8	15 00	14 1/2	14 1/2
July.....	15 00	15 00	14 7/8	15 00
LARD—				
May.....	9 60	9 60	9 50	9 50
July.....	10 00	10 00	10 00	10 00
RIBS—				
May.....	9 00	9 00	9 00	9 00
July.....	8 50	8 50	8 50	8 50

CHICAGO CASH LOT RECEIPTS.

To-day. Contract. Est. Tomorrow

Wheat..... 34..... 0..... 40

Corn..... 21..... 1..... 21 1/2

Oats..... 10 1/2..... 1..... 10 1/2

NORTH-WEST RECEIPTS (Wheat).

Today Last Week Year Ago

Minneapolis..... 361..... 271..... 372

Duluth..... 25..... 15..... 32

Chicago..... 31..... 35..... 25

Live Stock Markets.

RECEIPTS TODAY

Chicago..... 3000..... 3000..... 3000

Kan. City..... 7000..... 7000..... 7000

Omaha..... 6500..... 6500..... 6500

Market..... lower..... steady

Hogs.

U. S. Yards Open. U. S. Yards Close.

Mixed..... 6 1/2 @ 8 1/2..... 6 1/2 @ 8 1/2

Good heavy..... 6 1/2 @ 8 1/2..... 6 1/2 @ 8 1/2

Buff heavy..... 6 1/2 @ 8 1/2..... 6 1/2 @ 8 1/2

Light..... 6 1/2 @ 8 1/2..... 6 1/2 @ 8 1/2

Break of sale..... 6 1/2 @ 8 1/2..... 6 1/2 @ 8 1/2

U. S. Yards Open. U. S. Yards Close.

6200 left over yesterday. Rec'ts hogs year ago

3200.

U. S. Yards Close. Hog Rec'ts 32000; left over

700; market 10 cents higher.

Cattle.

Port to medium..... 3 00 @ 4 75

Stockers & F..... 2 50 @ 4 50

Cows..... 1 50 @ 3 10

Cows..... 1 50 @ 3 10

Calves..... 3 50 @ 4 75

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